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1. NIGERIAN CRVGE OIL PRODUCOION CONTINUED TO DECWINE IN OCTOBER, AVERAGING 1,949,840 BARRELS PER DAY 'B/D), COMPARED WITH 2,027,250 B/D IN SEPTEMBER. DECLINE NOT AS SHARP AS ESTIMATED REFTEL A BECAUSE SHELL-BP RECORDED ACTUAL PRODUCTION 88,000 B/D HIGHER THAN ITS PRELIMINARY ESTIMATE. FOLLOWING TABLE SHOWS PROVISIONAL PRODUCTION FIGURES FOR OCTOBER, AND FINAL FIGURES FOR SEPTEMBER.

AUGUST FIGURES REPORTED REFTEL B MAY ALSO BE CONSIDERED FINAL.

COMPANY	OCTOBER	SEPTEMBER	PERCENT CHAN
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&			
SHELL-BP	1,127,766 1,	,179,522 -4.4	
GULF	258,683 320	,500 -19.4	
MOBIL	235,913 22	6,070 -2.9	
AGIP/PHILBIPS	192,498	166.139 -15.0)
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ELF	67,845 /8,71	6 -1.3	
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TEXACO/CHEVRON 53,350 56,233 -5.1			
PAN OCEAN	10,066	1-?PUIDL P	
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ASHLAND	3,719	0 N/A	
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ALL COMPANI	ES 1,949,840	2.027.250	-3.8
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2. CRUDE OIL EXPORTS ROSE SLIGHTLY TO 1,905,677 B/D COMPARED WITH 1,839,392 B/D IN SEPTEMBER.

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- 3. CRUDE OIL DELIVERIES TO THE PORT HACCOURT REFINERY WERE 59,875 B/D IN OCTOBER AND 57,3W IN SEPTEMBER.
- 4. DRILLING RIGS EMPOYED 25 MONTH'S END TOTALLED 14 FOR BOTH MONTHS. EASUM

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